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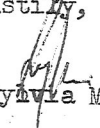
Dear Mr Weisberg,

Just a postscript to my long letter of the 15th...After mailing it, I returned the ms personally to Oscar Collier and told him at some length my views on the desirability of publishing your book. I've never been able to "sell" on my own behalf and I guess I don't do much better for third parties, because I don't think I succeeded in changing his views very much. Actually, Collier seems rather an indecisive person, without strong convictions about the assassination in the first place. He disappointed me by raising the usual irrelevant questions--why would Warren, why would Robert Kennedy, etc. I have the impression that he would go ahead with the book if there was no financial risk--but who wouldn't? It doesn't take much courage to decide on a sure thing.

I hope I prove to be wrong, but I thought I should give you my impression after talking to Collier (he's very nice personally, and was very cordial).

Let me hear from you.

Hastily,


Sylvia Meagher